

# AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL SPORTS

## PLAY IS SNAPPY IN HOT WEATHER

Shaffer's Candidates Prove Capable Men in the Preliminary Practice.

### KIRKPATRICK IS FAVORITE

Never was there a better day than yesterday for early spring practice, and the Richmond players enjoyed the hot sun so that the play to them was almost as valuable as a game. A ball player never plays so well as when the sun is shining his hottest, and some arms were almost forgotten in the two practices yesterday, when old Sol rained down a regular tempest in vapor, and probably will be until the end of the week, and maybe for a week longer. Notwithstanding that, though, these embryonic Lawmakers took like Trojans, and there is a vim and snap about their practice that promises well for the opening of the season.

Frank Keller, of Cincinnati, another candidate for third base, arrived in town yesterday evening. He says he is in splendid fettle, and, indeed, he will stand to be to compete against Kirkpatrick, who has been playing that position for the last three days.

Kirkpatrick looks good in his present position, and if Keller is as strong as many there will be no hotter struggle for place than between these two. No man in the infield has a stronger arm or more accurate aim than the happy-go-lucky "Kirk," who goes about his business as if the work of the whole team depended on his shoulders. On grounds there is no better, and though this place has always been the hardest to fill since many moons ago, it looks this year as if Manager Shaffer will have little trouble with it.

Hefferman worked yesterday for the first time in his high leg, his flow, he was as good as needed. The outfield certainly looks good, from present prospects, and it would appear that the only difficulty will be in choosing the men who are to try for the pennant for the Lawmakers. This much may be said, and it is not too early to say it, even before the preliminary games. Out of the many outfielders who will be chosen only those who handle the willow to the best advantage will ultimately represent the Lawmakers in this department.

As far as the infield goes, Manager Shaffer is in high gear. Kirkpatrick is as strong, if not stronger, than any, and his work at this early date appears entirely satisfactory. He throws to bases with precision and with great speed. He is a fast runner, and his glove work is always ready. O'Neill's arm improves with practice, and he is always sure in his aim, and in the whole of yesterday afternoon's practice never fell short on grounders and liners his glove was always to the fore, and he was given some pretty hot ones. Westlake, when he arrives, will have to be a strong candidate to beat him.

Even this early in the practice season it is hardly too much to say that Titman in the right guard is a fixture. Titman is liked by everybody, and by no one more than Manager Shaffer. His work is of the best variety, and it would take a very big leaguer to beat him out.

Brown and Hefferman both look good in the outfield, and it looks as if Brown would capture center garden, and Hefferman, left field, provided, of course, that he appears better against these two great ones.

The team, of course, cannot be selected for some time yet, but a very good time for choosing will be next Saturday, when the Lawmakers will line up against the Montreal club. In that game every man will be given a chance to show what stuff is in him, and this game may very likely be largely determining in the ultimate line-up of the team.

Manager Shaffer will try at least three of the pitchers, and it will be up to them to show what they can do. But even this game will not be a determining factor, as some men may still have very sore arms, while others may not, and, of course, it will take further time to prove which of the pitching staff is the best.

As far as may be seen at present, Manager Shaffer will have a difficult time in choosing the team which is to represent the Lawmakers. There is not the slightest doubt that he has chosen a lot of excellent men to try for positions, and the decision will finally be with him, rather than with the manager.

## ASHLAND COLLEGE LADS WHO WILL PLAY PRINCETON HERE TO-DAY



RANDOLPH-MACON BASEBALL SQUAD.

### RANDOLPH-MACON PLAYS TIGERS TO-DAY

Much Interest Manifest in First Contest of Season at Broad-Street Park.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ASHLAND, VA., March 27.—A great deal of interest manifested in the baseball game which will be played in Richmond to-morrow at Broad Street Park between Princeton and Randolph-Macon. The Tigers of the great New Jersey university will be met by the strongest team the Yellow Jackets have formed in many years. The crack team of last year about this time when Randolph-Macon and Harvard met, will be recalled with pride. The material in the college here this year is considerably beyond the average of the smaller colleges, and the men have shown that they are not only alert, but have had ample opportunity for practice, and two or three star players shine out brightly as ball players. Randolph-Macon has developed the strongest infield she has had in ten years. The young shortstop, Pritchard, is one of the most spectacular ball players at college, and has the reputation of not letting anything get by him. Stewart, as catcher, has improved very much over last year's record. Martin, at first base, brings with him to the college a record from the Randolph-Macon Academy at Bedford City. Graveyard and Persons have made good showings in the pitcher's box. Lancaster, at third base, is playing with his usual effectiveness and grace. The team this year all around has made an excellent showing, and will put up a pretty game of ball with Princeton.

**Tennis Dates.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LEWISBURG, PA., March 27.—W. M. August, manager of the Bucknell Tennis Club, has announced the following tournaments for this spring term:  
May 15th—Dickinson at Lewisburg.  
May 24th—Gettysburg at Gettysburg.  
May 25th—Dickinson at Carlisle.  
May 30th—Gettysburg at Lewisburg.  
Tennis has become one of the most popular sports at Bucknell, and there is a number of crack players among the undergraduates. There are also quite a few good players on the faculty who play for the exercise, and who have become quite expert with the racket.

### MR. OSBORNE ENTERTAINS VIRGINIA FOX-HUNTERS

Well-Known Cross-Country Riders Present From Keswick, Tomahawk, Blue Run, Deep Run and Riverside Hunts.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] GORDONSVILLE, VA., March 27.—The Tomahawk Hunt, of Orange county, and the Keswick Hunt, of Albemarle county, met at "Springfield," the country place of Mr. W. W. Osborne, this morning, and rode to hounds over a six-mile course. The fences, four feet and over, and wide ditches called for some beautiful cross-country riding. Ten couples of hounds were out, and the master, notwithstanding the hot weather, set a pace that only the best could stand. A score of crack hunters and many of the best riders of Virginia were on hand.

The riding of Miss Ellie Sanford in some places was brilliant and spectacular. Those riding to hounds were Mr. W. W. Osborne, Mr. F. L. Harris, Mr. August Wambersie, Miss Ellie Sanford, Mr. W. W. Osborne, Mr. Julian Morris, Mr. Arthur Morris, Dr. F. L. Thurman, Mr. Arthur White, Mrs. O. White, Mrs. Boeck, Mr. and Mrs. Joslin, Mr. R. Jackson, Mr. Green Shackelford, Mr. M. Carter, Dr. L. S. Ricketts, Mr. George Ginn, Mr. J. R. McComb, Mr. F. W. Christian, Jr., Mr. M. C. Jackson, Mr. Leroy Roper, of Petersburg; Mr. H. O. Lyne, Messrs. E. B. Snyder and James W. Graves, of Richmond.

After the hunt Mr. Osborne and his mother, Mrs. Virginia Osborne, were host and hostess at a beautifully appointed breakfast. The house was prettily decorated and the tables artistically arranged, so as to make the hunt feature most striking. They were assisted in receiving by Misses Sarah Osborne, Elizabeth Stratton, Grace McElroy, Agnes Sampson and Marion Scoggin. Those present at the breakfast, besides those named, were Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Grymes, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. N. Linney, Mrs. F. L. Thurman, Mrs. Robbins, Mrs. Kate Lyons, and Misses Rankin, Grace Lyons, Grace Anthony, Ballo Pugh, Lucie Richards, Alma Reed, Irene Partlow, and others.

**Pigeon Flight for Jamestown.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, VA., March 27.—Mr. W. M. Landry, president of the Washington District of the National Federation of American Pigeon Fanciers, will arrive in Norfolk to-morrow morning to confer with the Department of Congress and special flights at the centennial, scheduled for May 15th.

### "POINT TO POINT" RACES OF WARRENTON

Large Number of Hunting and Race-Horses Entered for April ad.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WARRENTON, VA., March 27.—The annual "point to point" races of the Warrenton Hunt Club will be run over a well-selected and difficult course on Tuesday, April 2d. A large number of the hunting and race horses have been entered, and the races this year will be of the best variety. Several of the best-known cross-country riders will participate, among whom are Messrs. Don Kerr, Percy and Leo Evans, Ernest Hayes, James D. Hall, Jr., and Charles Daniels. The races begin at 2:30, in the following order:

First race—the Warrenton Hunt Club Steeplechase; distance about four miles; a sweepstake of \$5, with \$40 added; for horses owned and ridden by members of the Warrenton Hunt Club. Horses must have been regularly hunted during the fall of 1906 and after January 1, 1907. Weight, 160 pounds; half-bred horses allowed ten pounds.

Second race—Open Steeplechase; distance about four miles; a sweepstake of \$5, with \$40 added; for horses owned and ridden by members of any recognized hunt club. Certificates from the members of the respective hunts for the season of 1906 and 1907 to be presented. Weight, 160 pounds; half-bred horses allowed ten pounds.

Third race—a steeplechase for half-bred hunters, owned and ridden by members of the Warrenton Hunt Club; to have been regularly hunted with the Warrenton Hunt Club during the season of 1906 and 1907. A sweepstake of \$5, with \$25 added; distance, about four miles; weight, 150 pounds.

Fourth race—Farmers' Race; a steeplechase, about two miles; for horses the property of farmers or their sons on whose lands the Warrenton Club hunts. Weight, 150 pounds; overweight allowed. Purse, \$45, to be divided in three moneys; entrance fee, Entries close March 23, 1907. Farmers' Race, post entries.

### TRINITY WINS LAST GAME WITH CORNELL

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] DURHAM, N. C., March 27.—Trinity defeated Cornell University this afternoon by the score of 3 to 2. This was the last game of the series. The game yesterday was won by Cornell after a twelve-inning pitchers' battle. The first run for Trinity today was scored in the second inning, and two in the sixth. Cornell, as yesterday, played good ball, but lost the game on errors. The features of the contest were the heavy hitting by Sutter and the field work. Cornell made five errors, while Trinity had only two to her credit.

The score by innings:  
Trinity..... 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0  
Cornell..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2  
Runs..... 3 2  
Bases..... 10 9  
Errors..... 5 2

The next game in Durham will be with the Agricultural and Mechanical College, of Raleigh, Friday.

### VARSITY DEFEATED.

Buffalo Professionals Won Out in a Good Game by 4 to 2.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] CHATTAUGUAY, N. Y., March 27.—The Buffalo Club, champions of the Eastern League, defeated Virginia today by the score of 4 to 2. The game was played at the Chattaugay Club, and the Buffalo had only one day in the open, they put up a good article of ball, both in field and at bat.

Klesinger, Hobson and Vowinkle, each took a turn in the box, and the best Virginia could do was to keep his hits well scattered. Douglas succeeded him, also performed well. Raymond Johnson's running catch of a foul fly was one of the features of the contest.

For the Bisons, the veteran Natress did the star work, both in fielding and batting. He pulled down two apparently safe hits on the run, and lined out home run and two singles.

Milligan in rightfield, captured the crowd by a spectacular catch of a short fly back of second. Schirm, on the left, with a double and a single and ran bases in good form.

Score by innings:  
Buffalo..... 0 0 0 1 1 0 2 0 0  
Virginia..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2  
Runs..... 4 2  
Bases..... 10 9  
Errors..... 1 2

### PRINCETON BEAT HAMPTEN-SIDNEY BY SCORE OF 6 TO 0

NORFOLK, VA., March 27.—The Tigers defeated Hampton-Sidney in an interesting and well-played game by the score of 6 to 0. The Virginia boys were unable to do anything with southpaws Drewes and Clark.

Score:  
Hampton-Sidney..... 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Princeton..... 6 0 0 0 0 0  
Batteries: Strass and Dare; Cooney, Drewes and Clark, Umpire, Mace.

### NEW YORK DEFEATED PHILLIES, 4 TO 3

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—In their first game since a world's championship series of 1905, the New York Nationals and the Philadelphia Americans

met to-day. New York won 4 to 3. Score:  
New York..... 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Philadelphia..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0  
Batteries: McInnity, Ames and Bresnahan; Coombs and Powers.

### Other Games.

At Atlanta—Atlanta, 10; Detroit, 13.  
At Marion—Cleveland, 1; Marion, 2 (10 innings).  
At Danville, Va.—Trenton, 4; Danville, 1.  
At Columbia, S. C.—Philadelphia, 14; Columbia, 4.  
At Raleigh, N. C.—Lafayette, 10; Agricultural and Mechanical College, 0.  
At Savannah, Ga.—Brooklyn, 6; Savannah, 1.  
At Philadelphia—University of Pennsylvania, 10; College of City of New York, 1.

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Philadelphia..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0  
Batteries: McInnity, Ames and Bresnahan; Coombs and Powers.

**Tie Between Navy and Columbia**  
ANNAPOLIS, MD., March 27.—The second baseball game of the season for the Naval Academy nine was played to-day with Columbia University, and resulted in a tie—4 to 4.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1907,  
at 5:45 o'clock P. M., on the premises, sell at public auction the property above described, which is now occupied by the said Miller.

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